



South Dakota Republican Party

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Office of General Counsel
Enforcement Division
Federal Election Commission
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Washington, DC 20463

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Dear Enforcement Division:

Please accept this letter as an official complaint about a pre-recorded call that was made to voters throughout the State of South Dakota on May 25 and 26, 2004. The script of the call reads:

"Hello, this is Marilyn Stamp (actual name and spelling unknown), I work an extra job in Sioux Falls so my children can attend college. I am very disappointed with Larry Diedrich's record in South Dakota government. Larry Diedrich has voted twice against South Dakota's college students and his bill to give out-of-state students scholarships was vetoed by our governor, who said South Dakota's tax paying parents should not be burdened with Larry Diedrich's law. Call Larry Diedrich at 605-334-7077 and tell him he needs to fight for South Dakotan, not his out-of-state friends."

This call was made on Tuesday at 1:17 pm and I have an audio copy that I can make available for your review.

No disclaimer was attached to the message and we do not know who is responsible for this message which attacks our Republican candidate for the June 1 Special Election.

I, hereby, request that you investigate this matter and prosecute to the full extent of the law. I would also request that you notify me immediately when you determine who is responsible for the call.

Sincerely,

Randy Frederick
State Chairman

Subscribed and sworn before me this 27 day of May, 2004
(SEAL) Notary Public
Commission Expires April 29, 2010

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